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PART IV.

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Season Report for the Week ending Saturday the 13th February 1897.

Rainfall at—	Rainfall. Present week.		Average for corresponding week of the past three years.		Total from the beginning of the present calendar year.		Average for the past three years up to end of present week.		Price of food grains in seers per rupee; and market fluctuations in the prices of food grains.	Market how supplied.	Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects, or other natural calamities.	Prospects of season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient; areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.	Public health.	Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, fodder or pasturage or fodder
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.						
Bangalore C. & M. Stn. ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	This week. Past week. Seers. Seers.					
,, City & Tk....	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	Rice 8 7½.					
Hoskote ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	Ragi 19½ 19¾.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Ragi, paddy, cow gram, pipeon pea, horse gram and castor beans harvested.	Fair.	Generally good.	Condition of cattle Water and fodde
Dodballapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Nelamangala ...	...	10	...	...	...	10	...	15	Horse-					
Kankanhalli ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	12	gram 15 15.					
Magadi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
Channapatna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7						
Anekal ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	20						
Devanhalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Closepet ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12						
Kolar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	Rice 8 to 9 8 to 9.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane planted and horse gram, Bengal gram, gingelly, sugar-cane, harka, cow gram and tuvar harvested in parts.	Do	Do	Fodder and water able.
Bowringpet ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ragi 18 to 24 18 to 24.					
Chintamani ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Mulbagal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	Horse-					
Sidlaghatta ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	gram 15 to 18 14 to 20.					
Chikballapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
Bagepalli ...	...	11	...	...	...	11	...	...						
Goribidnur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Malur ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10						
Srinivasapur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6						
Gudibanda ...	...	22	...	...	...	22	...	...						
Tumkur ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	5	Rice 7 to 10½ 7 to 10½.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in fair condition. Ragi, Bengal and cow grams pigeon pea, horse gram and castor beans harvested in parts.	Do	Good.	Condition of catt Fodder and wate
Maddagiri ...	...	15	..	...	...	15	...	...	Ragi 18 to 28 18 to 27½.					
Chiknayakanhalli.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Pavagada ...	...	28	...	...	...	28	...	...	Horse-					
Gubbi ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	23	gram 13 to 16 13 to 16.					
Tiptur									(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
Tarikere														

Kunigal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...				
Koralagere ...	...	45	...	...	...	45	...	...	...				
Turuvekere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Huliyar ..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Mysore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rice 9½ 9.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.	Generally good.	Generally good.	Cattle generally Water and fodde able.
Chamrajnagar ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ragi 21 20.					
Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Hunsur ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	Horse-					
Yedatore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	gram 14½ 15.					
Heggaddevankote.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
Gundlupet ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
T. Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Malvalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Mandya ...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Nagamangala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	Rice 8½ to 9½ 8½ to 9½.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Castor beans harvested in parts.	Favorable.	Do	Fodder and wat cient.
Manjarabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ragi 24 24.					
Arkalgud ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Belur ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	Horse-					
Channarayapatna.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	gram 14 13.					
Arsikere ...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
Holé-Narsipur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Alur sub-taluk ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Shimoga ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rice 10 to 13 10 to 14.	Well.	Standing crops are in good condition. Sugar-cane is being milled and planted.	Fair.	Good.	Fair.
Channagiri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ragi 15 to 24 14 to 24.					
Honnali ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Shikarpur ...	...	...	...	..		...	...	...	...	Jola 16 to 19 16 to 19.					
Sorab ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Sorghum vulgare.*)					
Sagar ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...							
Nagar (Kallurkatte).	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Tirthahalli ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...							
Kumsi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Chikmagalur ..	...	40	...	33	...	44	..	33	Rice 8 to 13 8 to 14.		Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Wheat, pigeon pea, Bengal gram, &c, harvested. Sugar-cane is being milled and planted in parts.	Good.	Do	Condition of cat Fodder and wate able.
Kadur ..	...	...	..	8	...	...	...	...	8	Ragi 16 to 22 16 to 22.					
Tarikere ..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Koppa ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	Horse-					
Mudgere ...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	13	gram 11 to 16 11 to 15.					
Yedahalli ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
Sringeri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Chitaldrug	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rice 7½ to 12 7 to 12.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in a fair condition. Cotton, cow and Bengal grams, castor beans, pigeon pea, sugar-cane and bili jola harvested in parts.	Fair.	Generally good.	Fodder and wat ally available.
Challakere ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	Ragi 17 to 24 17 to 24.					
Hiriyur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
Holalkere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	Jola 14 to 20 13 to 19.					
Davangere ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	(*Sorghum vulgare.*)					
Molakalmuru ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Jagalur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...						
Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Haribar ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...		...						

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Prices-Current (*Retail*) of Food Grains, Firewood, Salt, &c., in the Province of Mysore during the fortnight ending the 31st January 1897.

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas, *vide* Government of India No. 1—21, dated 10th February 1874.

Fortnight ending—	No.	Districts.	Wheat.						Barley.						Rice, best sort.						Rice, common.					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
31st January 1897.			Seers.	Chittaks.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	6	12	6	12	11	8	7	0	6	13	11	0	7	0	6	12	8	8	8	0	8	4	9	11
	2	Kolar ...	8	0	7	8	12	8	7	4	7	0	10	8	7	4	7	4	10	0	8	8	9	0	11	8
	3	Tumkur ...	7	8	7	8	14	0	7	0	7	0	12	0	8	0	8	0	10	0	9	0	9	0	10	12
	4	Mysore ...	6	4	6	4	12	8	...	...	...	...	11	0	7	8	7	12	9	4	10	0	10	4	10	8
	5	Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	0	7	0	10	8	8	8	8	8	9	0	9	8	9	8	10	8
	6	Shimoga ...	8	6	7	14	13	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	8	2	7	13	11	9	11	13	12	10
	7	Kadur ...	8	0	8	0	11	0	9	0	9	0	12	0	10	0	9	0	9	0	13	0	12	0	11	0
	8	Chitaldrug ...	9	0	9	0	16	0	8	0	8	0	15	0	8	0	8	0	9	8	9	0	9	0	12	0
		Average ...	7	11	7	9	13	0	7	9	7	7	11	11	8	1	7	15	9	2	9	13	9	14	11	1

Fortnight ending—	No.	Districts.	Javar or Cholam, *Sorghum Vulgare.*						Bajra or Cumbur, *Pennisetum typhoideum.*					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
31st January 1897.			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	14	0	14	0	27	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Kolar ...	8	8	8	8	30	0	10	8	10	8	34	0
	3	Tumkur ...	19	0	18	0	36	0	20	0	20	0	35	0
	4	Mysore ...	15	0	20	0	36	0	24	0	24	0	25	0
	5	Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	23	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Shimoga ...	16	13	16	13	31	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Kadur ...	22	0	22	0	30	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Chitaldrug ...	16	0	17	0	40	0	10	0	10	0	26	0
		Average ...	15	14	16	9	31	12	16	2	16	2	30	0

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas, *vide* Government of India No. 1—21, dated 10th February 1874.

Fortnight ending—	No.	Districts.	Marna or Ragi, *Eleusine Corocana.*						Kangni or Kakun, Italian millet (*Setaria Italica.*)					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
31st January 1897			Seers.	Chittaks	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	19	11	19	14	27	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	2	Kolar ...	20	0	20	0	31	0	10	4	10	4	19	0
	3	Tumkur ...	22	0	22	0	38	0	...	...	...	...	40	0
	4	Mysore ...	20	0	20	0	27	0	22	0	22	0	26	0
	5	Hassan ...	25	0	25	0	32	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	6	Shimoga ...	19	15	19	15	39	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	7	Kadur ...	24	0	24	0	30	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Chitaldrug ...	20	0	20	0	52	0	20	0	20	0	48	0
		Average ...	21	5	21	5	34	10	17	7	17	6	33	4

Fortnight ending—	No.	Districts.	Gram, Chenna, Chola Kadale or Sunaga *Cicer Arietinum.*						Indian corn or Maize (*Zea Mays.*)						Arhar or Thur, Cadjan Pea. (*Cajanus indicus.*)					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
31st January 1897			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	8	8	8	8	11	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	0	14	0	13	4
	2	Kolar ...	7	8	7	4	10	0	8	8	8	8	25	0	12	8	13	0	13	0
	3	Tumkur ...	8	0	8	0	12	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	0	15	0	17	0
	4	Mysore ...	8	0	8	0	11	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	0	14	8	14	8
	5	Hassan ...	8	8	7	12	10	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8	13	0	15	0
	6	Shimoga ...	11	9	9	7	13	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	13
	7	Kadur ...	10	0	9	0	13	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	0	13	0	9	0
	8	Chitaldrug ...	8	0	8	0	13	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	0	11	0	18	0
		Average ...	8	12	8	4	11	12	8	8	8	8	25	0	13	7	13	6	14	9

Fortnight ending—	No.	Districts.	Firewood.						Salt.					
			Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.		Next preceding return.		Corresponding return of last year.	
31st January 1897			S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.	S.	c.
	1	Bangalore ...	111	3	111	3	96	0	9	8	9	8	9	8
	2	Kolar ...	192	0	192	0	192	0	9	8	9	8	10	0
	3	Tumkur ...	224	0	224	0	224	0	10	0	10	0	10	0
	4	Mysore ...	96	0	96	0	84	0	10	0	10	0	10	0
	5	Hassan ...	200	0	200	0	144	0	8	8	8	4	9	0
	6	Shimoga ...	320	0	384	0	240	0	10	8	10	8	10	8
	7	Kadur ...	240	0	240	0	240	0	9	0	9	0	9	0
	8	Chitaldrug ...	163	0	163	0	175	0	9	0	9	0	9	0
		Average ...	193	4	201	4	174	6	9	7	9	7	9	11

10*th February* 1897.

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